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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAMASCUS 3344

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARN, UNGA

SUBJ: UNSSOD: IRAQI DRAFT RESOLUTION ON MILITARY AND
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1. CHARGE MET WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY DIRECTOR ON INTERNATIONAL
AFFAIRS KAYLANI JUNE 10 TO CARRY OUT INSTRUCTIONS REFTTEL.
ALSO PRESENTED AIDE MEMOIRE CONTAINING TALKING POINTS AND
REQUESTING SARG RECONSIDER ITS CO-SPONSORSHIP OF THE
RESOLUTION.

2. KAYLANI SAID HE DID NOT REALIZE RESOLUTION IN THIS FORM HAD BEEN SUBMITTED TO SSOD. WHEN HE HAD BEEN SHOWN DRAFT RESOLUTION BY IRAQI REP KITTANI IN HAVANA DURING NON-ALIGNED MEETING, HE HAD COMMENTED IT DID NOT SEEM APPROPRIATE FOR SSOD AND SUGGESTED IRAQ DEFER IT TO UNGA. SUBMISSION HAD APPARENTLY BEEN COORDINATED BY NON-ALIGNED REPRESENTATIVE IN NEW YORK AND HE WOULD HAVE TO CABLE SYRIAN PERMANENT MISSION FOR UPDATED REPORT. HE SAID HE FRANKLY COULD NOT HOLD OUT MUCH HOPE THAT SYRIA WOULD BE ABLE TO RECONSIDER ITS POSITION. MASSIVE US ARMS SUPPLY TO ISRAEL WAS CLEARLY THE MAJOR OBSTACLE TO ME PEACE. AT KAYLANI'S REQUEST, I AGREED TO FURNISH HIM TEXT OF RESOLUTION.

3. COMMENT: KAYLANI APPEARED IMPRESSED BY ARGUMENT THAT RESOLUTION OF THIS NATURE WOULD DIVERT FOCUS AWAY FROM GOBAL DISARMAMENT ISSUES TO REGIONAL ONES AND WOULD INVITE OTHER SUCH RESOLUTIONS FROM OTHER REGIONS. HE PERSONALLY AGREED SUCH RESOLUTION FELL OUTSIDE SCOPE OF CONSENSUS SEEKING SSOD. WHILD CHANCES ARE NIL WE WILL BE ABLE TO BREAK SYRIA OUT OF GENERAL ARAB CO-SPONSORSHIP, IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THREAT OF MODERATE-ARAB DESERTIONS COULD LEAD SYRIA TO SUPPORT POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION TO ANOTHER FORUM. RECOMMEND USUN FOLLOW UP WITH SYIRAN UN MISSION.

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